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Commissioner's Memos

Child Nutrition	• Child Nutrition Monitoring of Vending Machines	
Ed. Effectiveness	• Licensure Test Change for Art (K-12) Licensure	
Fiscal & Admin Services	• Publication of List in Accordance with Ark. Code Ann. §6-13-0635 • 2016-2017 Title I Comparability Reporting	
Learning Services	• Assessment in Grades 1-2 and ACT Aspire Testing Times • Faculty Positions Available at 2017 Arkansas Governor's School	• 2017 Arkansas Governor's School Nomination Information • Outstanding Gifted Programs • Arkansas History
Legal Services	• Final Rules – How to Meet the Needs of Children with Dyslexia	
Public School Accountability	• 2015 Graduation Rate Review and Corrections System Re-opens October 17, 2016	• Paraprofessional Compliance Report
Research & Technology	• Arkansas' Own Team Digital – Guidance for Schools	• Rave Mobile Safety's Panic Button in Arkansas

Welcome: [Torrence Thrower](#) – Facilities and Transportation

Best Wishes: [Jacqueline Rowlett](#) – Research & Technology

Division Highlights

Accountability	• ESSA Stay Informed Archive Updated: Minutes, Agendas, Presentations, Stay Informed Message #3 & Survey Results • 2016-2017 McKinney-Vento Liaisons & Grantees Lists Posted as Related Files	• Survey Posted on ESSA Page: Excellent Teachers & Leaders • Homeless and Homeless Type by District for SY 2015-2016 Spreadsheet Posted Under Federal Programs Related Files
Communications	• Press Release Posted: Annual Become an Arkansas Teacher Event Set for Oct. 10 in Little Rock (Future Dates Included) • Link to 2016 Arkansas Teacher of the Year's Blog Added to ATOY Page • 44th Annual Arkansas Reading Association Literacy Conference, Nov 17-18 Added • 2017 Biennial School Health Conference Added	• Photo Albums Added: Resolutions Recognizing Arkansas Safe Schools Week, Arkansas School Bus Safety Week & Student Recognitions - SBE Meeting Oct. 14, 2016 • ArkansasEd.gov Newsletter #18 Posted • October 2016 Parent Facebook & Twitter Posts #2 & 3 Added to My Child/My Student Page
Ed. Effectiveness	• Administrator and Mentor Training Video Added to the LEADS Page • IHE Approved Programs Matrix Updated on Educator Preparation Page	• Administrator and Mentor Training Video Added to the Beginning Administrator Page • Background Checks Updates Posted
Fiscal & Admin Services	• Positions Added to Employment Opportunities Page: Public School Program Advisor, ADE APSCN Field Analysts and Administrative Analyst	
Learning Services	• Education Service Cooperative News Links Updated • ELA Standards Final Documents Posted • New Innovation Video Added: Lakeside High School	• Literacy Design Collaborative/Mathematics Design Collaborative Page Created • Team Digital Page Created Under Digital Learning
Legal	• Current Rule Posted: How to Meet the Needs of Students with Dyslexia	
State Board	• October 13 Videos Added to the 2016 State Board Meeting Minutes/Videos Archive	